

INSURGENTS PLAN FIGHT TO THE END

Church Members Defeated
in First Brush Strengthen
Their Ranks.

RESIGNATION OF PASTOR DEMANDED

Admitted Today That This Is an
Issue—Financial Account-
ing Sought.

Insurgent members of Luther Memorial Church vigorously deny this morning that they will withdraw from the congregation, either to join other churches or to organize a congregation of their own.

Though they were in the minority last evening at a congregational meeting when it was voted to accept the resignations of Councilmen Anton Helm, Fred Wundman, and F. R. Barclay, they declare they constitute a majority of the bona fide membership of the church, that they will bring to light certain disclosures which will vindicate them of the charge of making trouble unnecessarily, and that they will employ legal means, if necessary, to effect an accounting of the financial affairs of the church.

One of First Moves.

One of their first moves, they declare, will be to so arouse public opinion among the members of the congregation as to compel the payment of \$1,178.01 to the District, the amount due for back taxes on an infirmity owned by the church before the date of the exemption act for charitable institutions in 1882.

Pastor Jubilant.

Dr. Butler is jubilant with the outcome of the meeting last evening when the resignation of the recalcitrant councilmen was received by a vote of 16 to 9.

"The church," he said, "is in better condition than ever before. We are glad these men are out. I do not know what course they will take and do not very much care. They must get new hearts or find a new church. If they come back into the fold they will have to behave. Throughout the course of this trouble I have never feared that the majority of my members were not on my side. If they form a new congregation may the Lord have mercy on their pastor."

Friends of Dr. Butler, as well as supporters of the deposed councilmen, expressed doubt this morning about the legality of the vote last evening. They are especially indignant over the fact that George S. Claybaugh, for many years in the active ministry, and said to be for twenty years a member of the Luther Place Memorial Church, was refused a vote last evening and was not allowed privilege of the floor.

Younger Members.

"I am one of the younger members of the church. I have only been on the rolls for seventeen years," said Mr. Helm, "but this morning, in saying reference to a statement that

ANTI-CUSS PATENT PUZZLES OFFICIALS

Hole Left Out of Stovepipe Breaks Combination to Stop
Oaths—Artificial Leg Regulator Another
Scheme of Preacher Genius.

If the "Jenkins" anti-swear stovepipe makes officials of the Patent Office swear trying to figure it out, can it be said to be an entire success?

This is a problem confronting the Commissioner of Patents.

The Rev. Jenkins lives in Duluth. He has written to Assistant Commissioner of Indian Affairs Valentine to thus aid in perfecting his patent. He says that the mechanic who put the model together for him forgot to put in the hole through which the lubricant that gives the stove pipe its anti-

swear-word value was meant to be injected. The latter asks Assistant Commissioner Valentine to assist in straightening out the tangle.

Incidentally, the Rev. Jenkins mentions a new idea that he is shortly to give to the world in the form of an artificial leg with clock work installed in the knee joint. The inventor guarantees that this can be so regulated that the artificial member will keep time with its human mate. Also incidentally, the Rev. Jenkins asks that he be appointed Indian Commissioner. He does not care for the salary, but would be willing to work for nothing.

BROWNSVILLE BILL VOTE FEBRUARY 23

Senator Foraker Wins His
Fight to Bring Matter
to Climax.

After a struggle which has occupied the session thus far, Senator Foraker today induced the Senate to agree on a date to vote on the Brownsville bill. For weeks the veteran Ohioan has been pressing the matter upon his colleagues both on the floor and in personal conferences, urging it as the last request he would ever make of them as a senator.

His success in having brought a vote is a tribute to his personal standing. Most of the Southern Senators have been anxious to avoid a vote and even today it looked for a time that they might make it impossible.

James O'Donnell's Unusual Offer

"It isn't often that I have faith enough in the medicine put up by other people to be willing to offer to refund the money if it does not cure," said James O'Donnell to a Times man who dropped into his store, "but I am glad to sell Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia on that basis."

"The Dr. Howard Company, in order to get a quick introductory sale, authorized me to sell their regular fifty cent bottles at half-price, 25 cents, and, although I have sold a lot of it, and have guaranteed every package, not one has been brought back as unsatisfactory."

"There are sixty doses in a vial that can be carried in the vest pocket or purse, and every one has more medicinal power than a big pill or tablet or a tumbler of mineral water. I am still selling the specific at half-price, although I cannot tell how long I shall be able to do so, and anyone who is subject to constipation, sick headache, dizziness, liver trouble, indigestion or a general played-out condition ought to take advantage of this chance."

Sent postpaid on receipt of price, 50c.

EMPLOYEES' RELIEF HOLD BIG BANQUET

Attaches of Moses Store
Give Delightful Affair at
Carroll Institute.

Members of the W. B. Moses & Sons Employees' Relief Association varied their usual custom this year and instead of giving the annual smoker they were hosts last night at a banquet and entertainment in the Carroll Institute.

The association has been in existence since 1889 and has given an entertainment each year, but that of 1909 proved the most successful of all. Members of the association were permitted to invite their wives, sweethearts or sisters and about 175 guests enjoyed the delightful affair.

In the list of guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moses and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moses.

The Program.

On the program was the Amphion Quartet, an organization of well known singers, whose second appearance was made last night. The quartet includes Henry W. Jaeger, E. Stinson Barker, Edwin Callow and Oliver A. Phelps.

The remainder of the program was carried out as follows: Character Sketches—(a) A Vallen Star, (b) When Van Elen Played Home Sweet Home, (c) A Little Feller, M. E. Kahn; Song—(d) The Rat Charmer's Song (e) Numbur, Walter P. Smith, U. S. Marine Band; Musical—The Mystery of M. G. Milburn; Crayon sketches—Clifford K. Gierman; humorous songs—Mr. W. A. Morris.

Notable Feature.

One of the most interesting features was an illustrated talk on the voyage of the United States battleship USS Oregon to the Golden Gate, by W. H. R. Smith, chief clerk of the Navy Department. Mrs. H. Clyde Grimes furnished the accompaniment for the musical numbers.

Officers of the relief association are: President, Leroy P. Sheriff; financial secretary, P. L. Zimmerman; corresponding secretary, George A. Bradley; treasurer, Francis A. Taylor.

CAUSING TALK.

"That man furnishes more ground for talk than any other I know," said Mr. W. A. Morris, "but I am glad to see the Head of the Weather Bureau—Princeton Tiger."

WEST AGAIN SWORN AS COMMISSIONER

Official Showered With Con-
gratulations at Beginning
of Third Term.

WELCOMING SPEECH BY COUNSEL THOMAS

Board Member, in Response, Says
Good Work Made Possible by
Faithful Assistants.

Surrounded by his fellow Commissioners, the heads and employees of the departments of the District government and personal friends, Commissioner Henry L. West this afternoon took the oath of office and entered upon his third term as Commissioner of the District of Columbia.

The simple ceremonies were held in the board room of the District building at 2 o'clock. The oath was administered by Dr. William Tindall, secretary to the Board of Commissioners, who has for many years officiated at similar occurrences.

After Commissioner West had again sworn allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and read the oath of office for the next three years, Ralph B. Pratt, secretary to the Commissioner, called upon Corporation Counsel E. H. Thomas to express the congratulations of the department heads.

Receives Congratulations.

Commissioners Macfarland and Cosby were the first to congratulate Mr. West and were followed by the chiefs of the various departments. The Commissioner then held an impromptu reception and received the congratulations of the employees and friends.

The board room was decorated with flowers, palms and electric lights and Commissioner West's desk was covered with floral tributes.

EXECUTIVE ABILITY.

Jimmie—Say, paw, what is executive ability?
Paw—Getting somebody to do the work while you do the bossing.—Brooklyn Eagle.

PRESIDENT GREETED IN PATRIOTIC SONG

Holy Cross Academy Happy
at Visit From the Na-
tion's Chief.

Pupils of the Holy Cross Academy at 332 Massachusetts avenue are still talking about their experience entertaining a President of the United States. True to his promise given to Sister Superior Angelica some time ago, that he would visit the Academy before he went out of office, President Roosevelt yesterday dropped in and spent the afternoon.

Word of his coming had been sent ahead, and the sister teachers and pupils were prepared with music, poetry, and song, to give him welcome. The auditorium was decorated with flowers, and the national colors, and patriotism was the keynote of the occasion.

Red, White, and Blue.

The President was met at the entrance to the Academy by the Sister Superior and Fathers Ketcham and Zam, and entered the auditorium while the school sang the "Red, White, and Blue."

Following a violin solo by Miss Imogene Carnes, and a harp solo by Miss Susanne Yerby, Miss Lillian Bell, of Alabama, read a poem of nine stanzas composed by her, and extending, on behalf of the school, a welcome to its distinguished guest. The poem concluded:

So we welcome you today,
Standard bearer in the fray,
And our youthful hearts rejoice
To the music of your voice.
While our souls in prayer are bent,
God protect our President.

From the dawn-kissed Eastern strand,
From the Western moon main grand,
From the forests, crowned with pine,
From the land of eglantine,
Rings a welcome loud and strong
That the breezes waft along.

THE LAST STRAW.

Arthur—They say, dear, that people who live together get to look alike.
Kate—Then you must consider my refusal as final.—Christian Register.

NELSON HOLDS BACK PURDY NOMINATION

Minnesota Senator Shows
No Sign of Letting Go
His Hold.

Senator Knute Nelson of Minnesota is hanging on to the nomination of Milton D. Purdy, the former chief trust buster of the administration, with as much pertinacity as any bulldog ever displayed. The result is that Mr. Purdy, who was long assistant to the Attorney General, and who was elevated from that post by the President to a position on the Federal district bench in Minnesota, is no nearer to confirmation than he was a year ago. It looks as if the weather would be much colder than now before Senator Nelson relinquishes his grip on the Purdy nomination.

It has been almost a year since the President appointed Purdy to the Minnesota Federal judgeship. He was named to take the place of Judge William Lochren, who resigned March 21. As soon as Purdy's name was sent to the Senate Senator Nelson took possession of it and has had it in his keeping. From time to time, it is given out that the Purdy appointment is being investigated, but the investigation is not visible to the naked eye.

SYSTEM.

Victim (disposed to grumble)—You've robbed me before I've been in town half an hour.
Footpad—Yes; this is a pay-as-you-enter town.—Chicago Tribune.

February 1st to 5th, Quaker Oats Week.

This is the week of good breakfasts—"Quaker Oats Week," observed all over the United States. Do your part; eat no other cereal this week.

The best of all cereal foods.

More Bolling Stock from Storage

We were compelled to store a portion of the great \$90,000 stock we bought at sheriff's sale because of lack of floor space. As quickly as the goods displayed are sold, more of the Bolling stock is brought from storage to replace it—50c on the dollar!

Wonderful Brass Bed Values

A full size Brass Bed, 2-inch continuous posts, 7-inch fillings. Genuine brass with best quality lacquer. Bolling's price \$32.50. Our price \$25.00.

Draperies and Lace Curtains

Real Irish Point Lace Curtains, full width and length—new patterns. Bolling's price \$6.00. Our price \$4.50.

English Tapestry Portieres in rich effects—full size. Bolling's price, \$13.00. Our price \$9.50.

Dainty Lace Curtains in pretty Brussels effects—full length and width. Bolling's price, \$8. Our price \$5.50.

Nottingham Lace Curtains in many new and attractive patterns. Bolling's price, \$8. Our price \$5.50.

Genuine Arabian Lace Curtains in very rich patterns. Bolling's price, \$20.00. Our price \$10.00.

300 Remnants of Upholstery goods suitable for pillow tops and reupholstering. To close out, each 25c.

625 yards Satin Damask, in 2' to 40-yard lengths. Bolling's price, \$3.00 a yard. Our price \$1.25.

9x12 Brussels Rugs. Bolling's price, \$25. Our price \$14.80.

9x12 Velvet Rugs. Bolling's price, \$30. Our price \$17.65.

9x12 Axminster Rugs. Bolling's price, \$30. Our price \$18.45.

8.3x10.6 Tapestry Rugs. Bolling's price, \$20. Our price \$12.85.

Parlor Suites

High-class Parlor Suites of 3 pieces—polished frames with loose cushion seats, covered in green velvet. These are well made and good looking suites, and excellent values at the original price. Bolling's price \$70. Our price \$35.00.

Parlor Arm Ch's and Rockers

Beautiful design; polished mahogany frames with loose cushions, covered in good velvet. Bolling's price, \$20.00. Our price \$12.50.

China Closets

Solid oak China Closets, bent glass ends and high-class construction; quartered oak front, polish finish. Bolling's price, \$25. Our price, \$12.50.

Dining Chairs

Solid oak Dining Room Chairs; box seat; strong construction. Bolling's price \$3.50. Our price \$1.85.

Chiffoniers

Fine oak Chiffoniers, mirror top, big drawers; unusually well made furniture. Bolling's price \$22.50. Our price \$11.25.

Dressers

Oak, Bird's-eye Maple, and Mahogany Princess Dressers, with large cheval mirror of best French plate and French less. Bolling's price \$22.50. Our price \$16.50.

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